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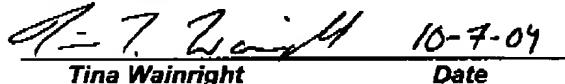
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Application No.: 09/588,280
 Filing Date: June 5, 2000
 First Named Inventor Ramin Khorram
 Examiner's Name: Charles Nana Appiah
 Art Unit: 2686
 Attorney Docket No.: 004889.P001

 An Amendment After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) is attached and applicant(s) request expedited action.

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Applicant(s) claim small entity status (37 CFR 1.27).

ATTACHMENTS

 Preliminary Amendment

Amendment/Response with respect to Office Action

 Amendment/Response After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) (reminder: consider filing a Notice of Appeal)

 Notice of Appeal

 RCE (Request for Continued Examination)

 Supplemental Declaration

 Terminal Disclaimer (reminder: if executed by an attorney, the attorney must be properly of record)

 Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

 Copies of IDS citations

Petition for Extension of Time

Fee Transmittal Document (that includes a fee calculation based on the type and number of claims)

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1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee	Fee	Fee	
Code	Code	(\$)	
1001	2001	395	Utility application filing fee
1002	2002	175	Design application filing fee
1003	2003	275	Plant filing fee
1004	2004	395	Reissue filing fee
1005	2005	80	Provisional application filing fee

SUBTOTAL (1) \$ 0.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

		Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
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Independent Claims		- 4** =	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ 9.00	=
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1201	88	2201 44	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	300	2203 150	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	88	2204 44	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205 9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) \$ 0.00

FEE CALCULATION (continued)**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

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1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*
1251	110	2251	55
1252	430	2252	215
1253	980	2253	490
1254	1,530	2254	765
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